

AMENDMENT and RESPONSE

In response to the Non-Final Office Action dated August 9, 2005 kindly amend the application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

No amendments are made to the claims above.

REMARKS

Applicant thanks the Examiner for the courteous Action on the merits.

Drawings

The replacement drawings accompanying the previously filed Response to Office Action on May 31, 2005 were accepted by the Examiner.

Double Patenting

Claims 4 and 5 are rejected under the judicially created doctrine of obviousness-type double patenting as being unpatentable over Claim 1 of U.S. Patent 6,360,426. To overcome the double patenting rejection, Applicant herewith submits a Terminal Disclaimer To Obviate A Double Patenting Rejection Over A "Prior" Patent. The Terminal Disclaimer fee is dealt with in the Transmittal Letter accompanying this Response.

Allowable Subject Matter

The allowance of Claims 1-3 and 6-11 is noted with appreciation.

Conclusion

Reconsideration and allowance of all claims are requested.

Respectfully submitted,



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